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TAGS: PINS PINT MILI VS

SUBJECT: UPDATE REPORT OF INCIDENTS IN HIGHLANDS

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AOSOP/IX

REF: NHA TRANG 0847

1. PLEI DJERENG: PATROL SENT TO RECONNOITER PLEI DJERENG CAMP HAS RETURNED WITH INFORMATION THAT CAMP OCCUPIED BY ONE COMPANY BELIEVED TO BE PART OF NEWLY-FORMED NVA 26TH INFANTRY REGT. LATROL REACHED CAMP PERIMETER BUT WAS REPELLED. AIRSTRIKES HAVE REPORTEDLY KNOCKED OUT THREE OR FOUR OF THE EIGHT TANKS CAMOUFLAGED AND DUG IN AROUND CAMP PERIMETER. THREE SURVIVORS OF THE SATURDAY ATTACK REPORT NVA CAME IN WAVES SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY AND TANKS. RESISTANCE LASTED FROM 1500 TO 1800 HRS. ARVN IN CONTACT WITH A GROUP OF FIVE OTHER SURVIVORS WHO ARE SURROUNDED AND UNABLE TO MOVE FROM THEIR LOCATION ABOUT 3 KM NORTH OF CAMP. NO OTHER SURVIVORS KNOW.

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2. ROUTE 14: QL-14, CLOSED NORTH OF BAN ME THUOT ON SEPT 22, IS REPORTED OPEN AS OF 1400 HRS, SEPT 24. GVN REPORTED TO HAVE SUFFERED 4 KIA, 15 WIA, 3 MIA AND TWO TRUCKS DESTROYED. NVA REPORTEDLY LOST 11 KIA. COMMUNIST UNIT INVOLVED IDENTIFIED AS ELEMENT OF NVA 25TH REGIMENT, OF WHICH 304TH SAPPER BN IS A SEGMENT. SPEAR
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